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Applicant: Hammer
Serial No.: 10/784,448
Filed: February 23, 2004
For: CHECKOUT DEVICE INCLUDING SCAN PATTERN-SHIFTING ELEMENT
Group: 2876
Examiner: Caputo, Lisa M.

Durham, North Carolina
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2. Amendment (7 pages)

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Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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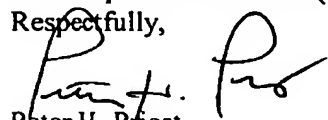
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(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(5) Extra Present	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total Claims	9	-	20	0	\$50.00=	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	-	5	0	\$200.00=	0.00
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Respectfully,


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Response and Request for Reconsideration

Sir:

In response to the final Official Action of September 21, 2005, please consider the following remarks requesting reconsideration of the grounds for rejection: